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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: OVIP (KING HUSSEIN)
SUBJ: KING HUSSEIN VISIT TO US

1. PRIME MINISTER RIFAI HAS PROVIDED PLANNING DETAILS FOR
KING HUSSEIN'S UPCOMING VISIT TO US.

2. KING PLANS LEAVE AMMAN SUNDAY, MARCH 10, OVERNIGHT TORREJON
MARCH 10 AND ARRIVE WASHDC MONDAY, MARCH 11 AROUND 3 P.M.
WITH NO APPOINTMENTS UNTIL FOLLOWING DAY. REQUEST DEPARTMENT
ARRANGE WITH SECDEF AND EMBASSY MADRID CLEARANCE FOR TORREJON

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STOP. KING ALSO REQUESTS ASSISTANCE FROM USUAL USAF NAVIGATOR

(MAJOR "ZIZI") IN TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHT, TO ARRIVE TORREJON HOPEFULLY MARCH 9. PLEASE ADVISE NAME AND ARRIVAL DETAILS TORREJON.

3. WILL PROVIDE LIST OFFICIAL PARTY WHEN AVAILABLE. AMBASSADOR WILL ACCOMPANY KING ON AIRCRAFT.

4. PM PARTICULARLY CONCERNED TO HAVE FIRM SCHEDULE ASAP FOR FIRST OFFICIAL DAY (MARCH 12) AND REQUESTS DEPARTMENT FURNISH BY MARCH 5 OR 6. THEY WISH KING TO HAVE FIRST APPOINTMENT WITH PRESIDENT NIXON AND MEET WITH SEC KISSINGER. ALSO WISH TO KNOW WHAT EVENING FUNCTION WILL BE ARRANGED MARCH 12.

5. ON MARCH 13, DESIRE APPOINTMENT FOR KING WITH SEC SCHLESINGER AND ARE MAKING SEPARATE ARRANGEMENTS THROUGH JORDAN EMBASSY WASHINGTON FOR NATIONAL PRESS CLUB LUNCHEON THAT DAY. ALSO REQUEST DEPARTMENT'S ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING MEETING WITH SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS AND HOUSE FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ON MARCH 13 OR 14.

6. ON MARCH 14, KING OCCUPIED FOR LUNCH WHICH BEING ARRANGED SEPARATELY. DURING DAY KING RECORDING "FACE THE NATION" APPEARANCE WHICH AMBASSADOR SALAH IS SETTING UP AND WILL SEE US PRESS ALSO ARRANGED BY SALAH.

7. ON MARCH 15 KING DESIRES ENTER WALTER REED, FOR TWO-DAY CHECKUP. WOULD DEPART MARCH 17 FOR PALM BEACH. OFFICIAL PARTY WILL MOVE OUT OF BLAIR HOUSE ALONG WITH KING ON MARCH 15. KING PLANS STAY PALM BEACH ABOUT A WEEK, RETURNING TO AMMAN ABOUT MARCH 24.

8. AMBASSADOR SALAH WILL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR KING HUSSEIN MEETING WITH HIS CHILDREN WHO ARRIVING WASHDC MARCH 13 ENROUTE AMMAN.

9. PRINCE MOHAMMAD DESIRES ENTER WALTER REED UPON ARRIVAL MARCH 11 FOR TREATMENT ASTHMA CONDITION.

10. PLEASE ADVISE EMBASSY AMMAN AND AMBASSADOR SALAH AS SCHEDULING DETAILS BECOME FIRM.

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